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1.

Chief Inspector of Engineers and Sappers: probably Lt. General Jerzy Bordszilowski (Bordszilowski).

Comment: This is the first indication of the existence of this inspectorate. Hitherto we have carried Lt. Gen. Bordsilowski, Chief of the Engineers and Sappers Department of MON as the most senior officer of this service and therefore consider it probable that he is the Chief Inspector.)

2.

CO of Officers Signals School, Sieradz: Col. Michal Ratuszewski.

Comment: Col. Ratuszewski has hitherto been known as Ratuszniak (Ratushnyak). He has now taken a Polish name. There would seem to be a tendency in this direction. Thus, Major Gen. Daniluk, GCO of MD No. 4, who is a pre-war Polish officer of Ukrainian extraction, has now taken the name of Daniluk-Danilowski.)

3.

GCO MD (DOW) No. 2, Bydgoszcz: Lt. Gen. Bronislaw Polturzycki (Polturzhitski).

Comments: It has been established that Maj. Gen. Jan Rotkiewicz (Rotkevich) is GCO of an MD. The GCO's of MD's 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, respectively, Paszkiewicz, Polturaycki, Strazewski, Daniluk-Danilowski, and Wieckowski, have been identified. MD No. 6 has been abolished. It therefore follows that Major Gen. Rotkiewicz must have been appointed GCO of MD No. 7, Lublin.)

4.

CO 13th "Warszawski" Independent SP Arty Regt, Legionowo (near Warsaw):
Col. Jasieniecki.

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Chief of Battle Training Department of GHQ Land Forces, Warsaw: Lt. Gen.
Bronislaw Prugar-Ketling

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Comment: The above information would appear to indicate that certain reorganization has recently been taking place in the Ministry of National Defense (MON). The former 2nd Vice Minister of National Defense, Army Gen. Swierczewski (Sverchevski), was murdered in S.E. Poland on 28 March 1947. He has not been replaced. Early in December 1947 Army Gen. Poplawski (Poplavski) was appointed C-in-C Land Forces. Lt. Gen. Prugar-Ketling died on 18 February 1948. His obituary notice stated that he was "Chief of Battle Training Dept. of GHQ Land Forces". This confirms our assumption that those organs which have hitherto come under the 2nd Vice Minister of Defense now come under the C-in-C, GHQ, Land Forces, as the Battle Training Dept. was formerly subordinate to the 2nd Vice Minister of Defense.)

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